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**PATENT APPLICATION**  
(Attorney Docket No. 37998XGA)

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In the Application of: Joseph J. Kubler, et al    §    Art Unit: 2661  
Serial No.: 09/037,535    §    Examiner: Mr. David R. Vincent  
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Title: Hierarchical Data Collection Network Supporting Packetized Voice  
Communications Among Wireless Terminals and Telephones  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, DC 20231

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO  
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Applicant, being in receipt of the Office Action mailed in the above-captioned application on March 21, 2001, hereby submits the following amendments and response.

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING BY FIRST CLASS MAIL**

I hereby certify that on the date shown below, this AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION, consisting of two (2) pages, is being deposited with sufficient postage with the United States Postal Service as First Class Mail in and envelope addressed to: Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231.

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